

# *Farewell, My Dear Cramer*

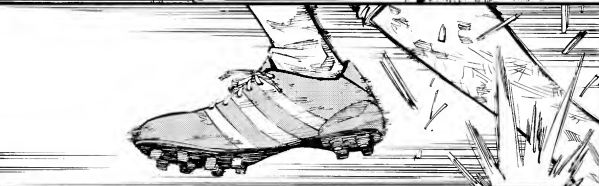


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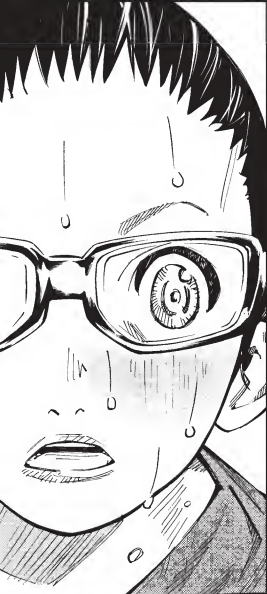
**KC**  
KODANSHA  
COMICS

**CHAPTER 12**  
**NAOSHI ARAKAWA**

EPISODE 12

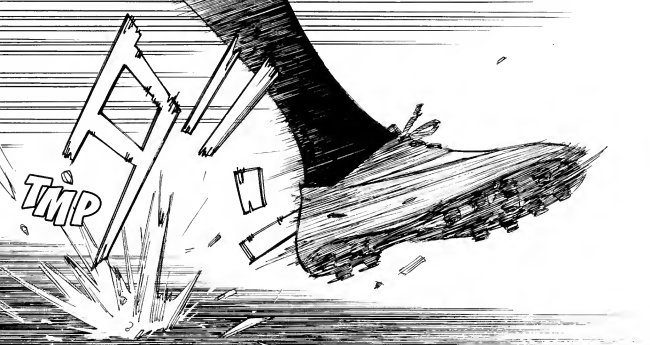




















IT WENT  
STRAIGHT  
FOR THE  
GOALIE!!

AARRGH!



JUST KEEP  
SHOOTING!!

NICE ONE,  
CHIKA!!

REMEMBER  
THOSE  
CORNERS!!



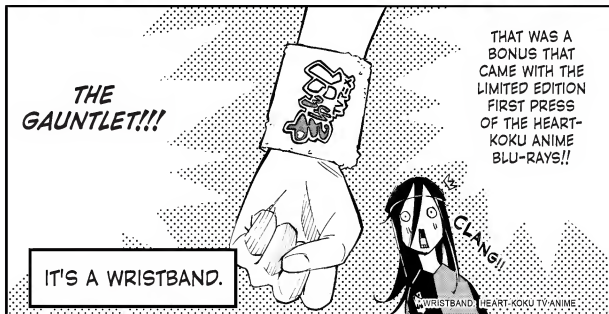
SHE RAN  
ALL THE  
WAY UP  
FROM THE  
CENTER  
CIRCLE.

IT WAS  
26 WHO  
STARTED  
THE PLAY,

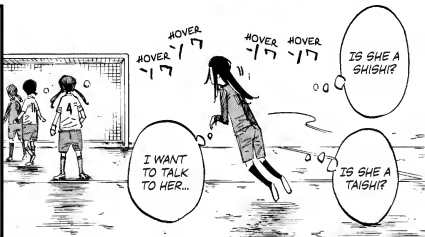
WHO  
DOES SHE  
THINK  
SHE IS?  
DAVIDS?

BUT THEN  
SHE CAME  
AROUND  
AND  
FINISHED  
IT, TOO.





IN THE HEART-KOKU FANDOM, FANS OF THE SHINSENGUMI-SUPPORTERS OF THE GOVERNMENT WHO OPPOSED THE REBEL SHISHI-ARE CALLED TAISHI.







DASH



FOUR  
ATTACKERS.

THAT  
MAKES  
THREE...

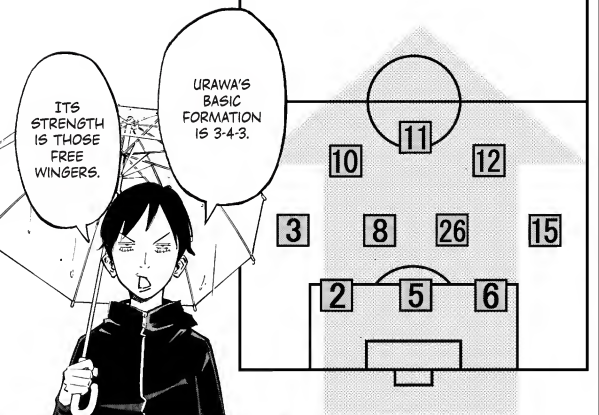
URAWA HOSE!  
THIRD-YEAR  
KAYOKO YUZA

THAT  
MIDFIELDER,  
NUMBER 15,  
CAUGHT THE  
BALL ON THE  
FRONT LINE.

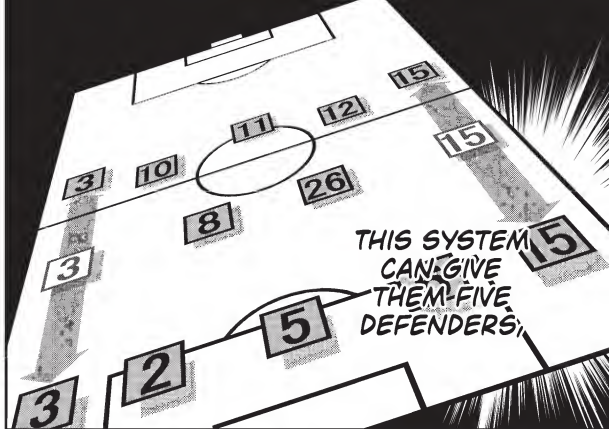


YEAH,  
THAT'S A  
SYSTEM  
MR. ITALY  
OVER THERE  
BROUGHT TO  
THE TEAM.











AS WELL  
AS SKILL  
AND A  
STRATEGIC  
EYE.



THAT  
WOULD  
TAKE A  
LOT OF  
MOBILITY.



THAT  
WANNABE  
ITALIAN.

HE'S A  
CRAFTY  
ONE.



FIVE...  
ATTACKERS.



EKK!



FUKATSU-  
SAN...  
HOW DID  
YOU FIGURE  
THAT OUT  
FROM ONE  
LOOK AT  
HIM?



HE TOOK THAT  
STRAIGHT OUT  
OF ANTONIO  
CONTE'S  
PLAYBOOK.

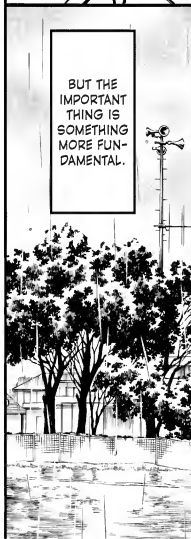


HISSS

WHY  
DIDN'T  
YOU  
GIVE US  
DETAILS  
?!!!

BE-  
FORE  
THE  
GAME!!

WELL,  
HE DID  
THE SAME  
THING  
AT OUR  
PRACTICE  
MATCH  
LAST YEAR.



BUT THE  
IMPORTANT  
THING IS  
SOMETHING  
MORE FUN-  
DAMENTAL.



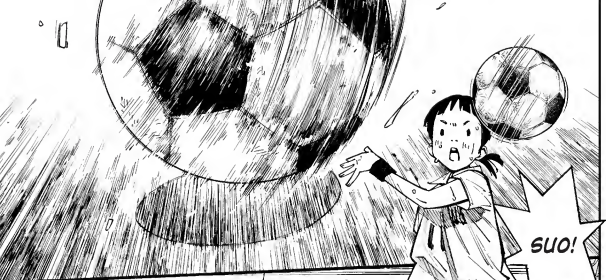
WHAT  
ARE YOU,  
A SHY  
LITTLE  
VIOLET?!

WELL,  
YOU NEVER  
ASKED.

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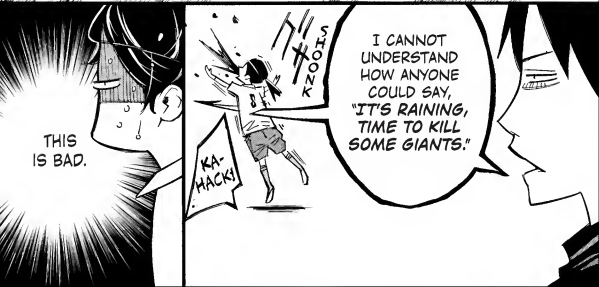


OF COURSE,  
ITS  
STRENGTH  
IS IN HOW  
THEY USE  
THE WINGS...









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SHE DIDN'T  
DO ANYTHING  
IN THE FIRST  
GAME OR  
THE THIRD.

I HAVE  
TO BE  
A PART  
OF THIS  
GAME!!

WORST OF  
ALL, THOSE  
WOMEN  
WILL MOCK  
ME MY  
WHOLE LIFE.

MY, HOW  
USELESS.

IF I DON'T  
GET SOME  
RESULTS  
HERE, THEY'LL  
PUSH ME  
EVEN FUR-  
THER BACK.

WB

COVERED  
IN MUD.

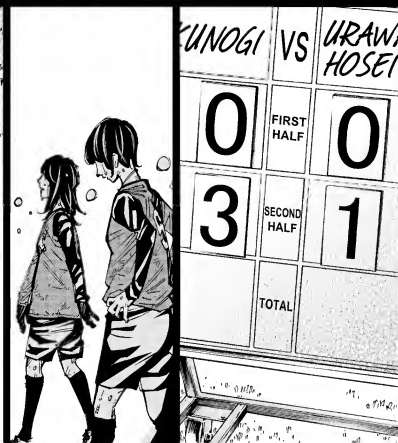
CAN'T  
PLAY  
WORTH  
BEANS,

CHILD-  
ISH,

YOU'RE  
SO  
STUPID  
MIDORI.

AND THIS  
IS THE TEAM  
YOU CHOSE  
INSTEAD?

YOU  
REJECTED MY  
INVITATION  
TO PLAY  
WITH US,







CHIKA.

IT'S UP  
TO YOU  
NOW,

**WAAA  
AAAA  
AHH!**

THAT FIRST  
POINT,  
SCORED  
EARLY IN THE  
SECOND HALF,  
CHANGED THE  
COURSE OF  
THE GAME.

THE NATIONAL  
HIGH SCHOOL  
GIRLS SOCCER  
CHAMPIONSHIP  
TOURNAMENT,  
THE FIRST GAME  
OF THE KANTO  
PRELIMINARIES.







AS A  
RESULT,  
WE WERE  
DEFEATED.

THE GIRLS  
WENT TO  
SCORE,  
AND THE  
OTHER  
TEAM  
CLOSED IN  
ON THEM.



WE HAD NO  
CHOICE BUT  
TO CHANGE  
OUR GAME  
PLAN.



THAT WAS  
THE TALE  
TOLD BY  
KIRISHIMA'S  
TEARS.

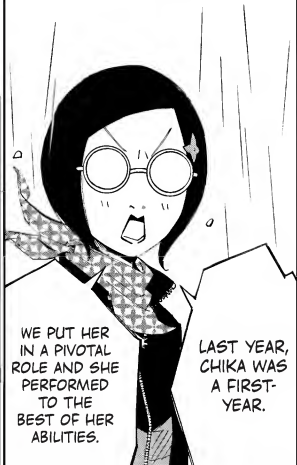
"IT'S  
ALL MY  
FAULT."



IT WASN'T  
FAIR TO  
TREAT HER  
AS THE  
ONLY WAR  
CRIMINAL.



YOU'RE  
RIGHT.



WE PUT HER  
IN A PIVOTAL  
ROLE AND SHE  
PERFORMED  
TO THE  
BEST OF HER  
ABILITIES.

LAST YEAR,  
CHIKA WAS  
A FIRST-  
YEAR.



GETTING  
ANGRY...

IS MY JOB  
AS YOUR  
LEADER.



THAT'S  
NO  
REASON  
TO-!!



CHIKA WAS  
ALREADY  
DEPRESSED  
!!

BUT YOU  
MERCILESSLY  
RAKED HER  
OVER THE  
COALS!!

AND IN  
FRONT  
OF THE  
WHOLE  
TEAM!

YOU  
PERVERTED  
WATER  
SPRITE!!

WINGE  
EIN

**A STRONG  
TEAM**

**NEEDS  
POWERFUL  
MOTIVATION.**



IS YOUR  
JOB, AS HER  
TEAMMATES.

HELPING  
HER FEEL  
BETTER...

**IT IS  
WHEN  
THEY ARE  
UNITED**

**THAT MY  
TEAM IS  
STRONGEST.**





I WILL  
GLADLY  
BE YOUR  
ENEMY.

IF IT WILL  
BRING  
YOU ALL  
TOGETHER,



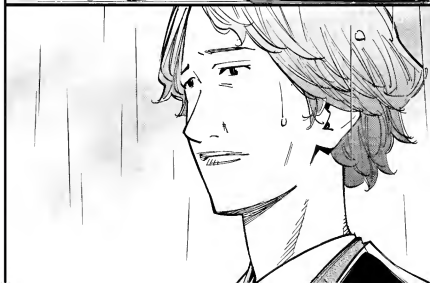
I WASN'T  
SURE I  
SHOULD APPLY  
SO MUCH  
PRESSURE TO  
A 16-YEAR-OLD  
GIRL.

ALTHOUGH  
I WAS  
CONCERNED  
AT THE  
TIME.



IS A  
SOCCER  
FIEND.

THIS  
MAN...



NO ONE CAN STAND ON THE PITCH WITHOUT GETTING HURT.





WHEN  
SHE'S  
BEATEN  
TO THE  
GROUND,

SHIRA-  
TORI!!!



WHEN  
SHE GETS  
KNOCKED  
DOWN,



GO  
BACK!!

NANAMI  
WENT  
AFTER IT!!

NUMBER 10'S  
PLAYING UP!!

TIME



AND  
TIME  
AGAIN,

SHE GETS  
RIGHT BACK  
UP AND  
STARTS  
RUNNING.

WITH NO  
CONCERN  
FOR WHO  
WAS  
WATCHING,  
IS NO  
MORE.

THAT  
GIRL  
WHO  
CRIED  
HER  
EYES  
OUT,

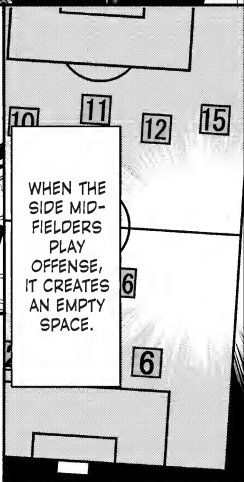
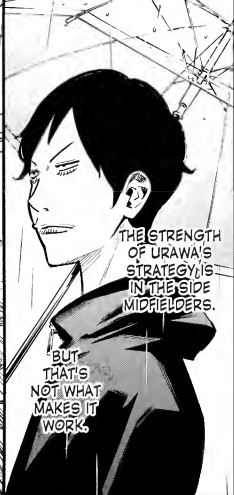






OTIZO-SAN!!

AND THE  
STAR HAS  
ARRIVED!!







SOME-  
ONE WITH  
THE FEET  
AND THE  
EYES...

YOU NEED AN  
OUTSTANDING  
DEFENSIVE  
MIDFIELDER.

TO COVER  
THAT VAST  
SPACE.



CHIKA-  
SEMPAI!



AND I  
DEMAND  
A PENALTY  
KICK!!

FOUL!!  
THAT WAS  
A FOUL!!



SHE'S  
MAKING  
SHADOW  
CLONES!!

SHE'S  
PLAYING  
OFFENSE  
AND  
DEFENSE  
?



NO  
WAY!



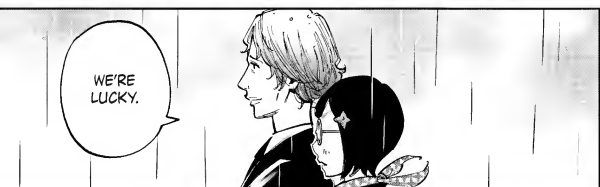
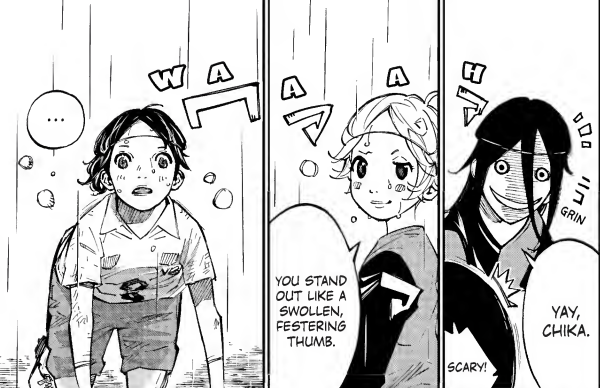
NICE  
COVER!

I LOVE  
YOU,  
CHIKA!!



SHE SHOWS  
UP EVERY  
TIME THEIR  
TEAM IS IN  
TROUBLE.

WHAT  
INCREDIBLE  
MOBILITY  
AND FORE-  
SIGHT.



OF THIS  
LITTLE  
FOOTBALLER.

WE CAN  
PARTAKE  
OF THE  
BLESSINGS...





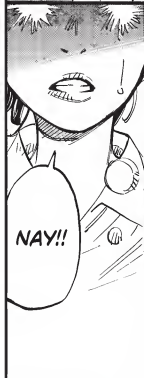




AND IT'S  
GONNA  
BE US.

ONLY ONE  
TEAM CAN  
DESTROY  
KUNOGI AND  
BE NUMBER  
ONE IN JAPAN.

JERSEY: URAWA HOSEI



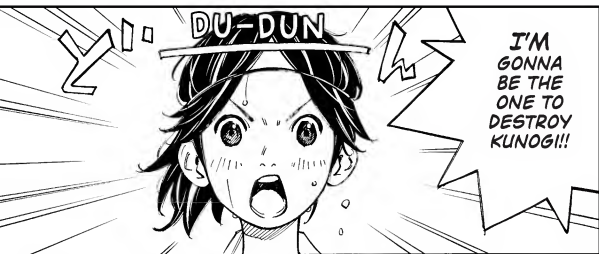
NAY!!



BE A  
GOOD  
JIZO AND  
STAY PUT.



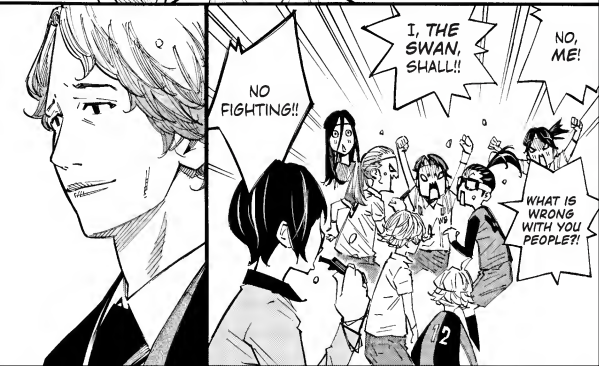
IF YOU  
TRY TO  
GET IN  
OUR WAY,  
YOU GET  
NO MERCY.  
GOT IT?



I'M  
GONNA  
BE THE  
ONE TO  
DESTROY  
KUNOGI!!



NO,  
I AM.



NO  
FIGHTING!!

I, THE  
SWAN,  
SHALL!!

NO,  
ME!

WHAT IS  
WRONG  
WITH YOU  
PEOPLE?!



I GET TO  
WATCH  
OVER  
THESE  
GIRLS  
AS THEY  
GROW.

I AM THE  
LUCKIEST  
MAN IN THE  
WORLD.

FOR  
TWO  
MORE  
YEARS,

I'M A  
LUCKY  
MAN.

TO BE CONTINUED